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AMEND Senate Bill No. 959

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by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-6-201 is amended by adding the following language as a new appropriately designated subdivision:

() Engages in the business of selling or renting videocassette tapes or films in this state.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 6, Part 2 , is amended by adding the following language as a new appropriately designated Section:

SECTION _____. (a) There is levied a one dollar (\$1.00) fee on the privilege of selling or renting any videocassette tape or film whose display is restricted pursuant to § 39-17-914.

(b) Such fee shall be imposed on each sale or rental of such videocassettes or films. Twenty- five percent (25%) of all revenues generated from such user fees shall be deposited in the state general fund and earmarked for victim assistance purposes as provided in § 9-4-205, to be used in the development of county victim assistance centers; twenty-five percent (25%) of all revenues shall be earmarked for spousal and domestic violence abuse as provided in § 36-3-616; and fifty percent (50%) of all revenues generated shall be deposited in the state general fund.

(c) Revenues generated from the user fee and earmarked for specific purposes other than for deposit into the general fund shall be appropriated by the governing body of the county where such revenue is collected.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 1997, the public welfare requiring it.

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